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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of: **Hiroshi Sato**

Group Art Unit: **2837**

Serial No.: **10/578,871**

Examiner: **Christopher Uhlir**

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For: **RESONANCE GENERATION DEVICE OF ELECTRONIC MUSICAL INSTRUMENT, RESONANCE GENERATION METHOD OF ELECTRONIC MUSICAL INSTRUMENT, COMPUTER PROGRAM, AND COMPUTER READABLE RECORDING MEDIUM**

**AMENDMENT in R.C.E. and PETITION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

An RCE is submitted herewith. This paper is in response to the final Office Action dated June 16, 2008, extended three months to December 16, 2008. The Applicant also petitions for an appropriate extension of time. Please charge such an extension of time, and any other fees needed to enter this paper, to **Deposit Account No. 01-2340**. An additional authorization to charge is included in the accompanying RCE.

The listing of claims on the following page will replace all previous listings of claims in this application.

Remarks follow the claims below.